HOUSE BILL No. 1732

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 20-10.2-6-1.5.

Synopsis: School improvement plans. Provides that a school may not be placed in the lowest category of school improvement unless the principal of the school has been: (1) given a plan of action for improvement that was developed by the department of education and approved by the school's governing body; and (2) allowed at least one school year to carry out the plan of action.

Effective: July 1, 2003.

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January 21, 2003, read first time and referred to Committee on Education.





First Regular Session 113th General Assembly (2003)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in this style type, and deletions will appear in this style type.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or *this style type* reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2002 Regular or Special Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

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Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

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SECTION 1. IC 20-10.2-6-1.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2003]: Sec. 1.5. (a) Before a school may be
placed in the lowest category or designation of school improvemen
under IC 20-10.2-5-4, the department shall develop a plan of action
for the principal of the school to follow in improving the school's
performance. The plan of action must:

- (1) be approved by the governing body; and
- (2) include specific actions for the principal to take.
- (b) A principal who receives a plan of action developed under subsection (a) must be allowed at least one (1) school year to carry out the plan of action before the school may be placed in the lowest category or designation of school improvement under IC 20-10.2-5-4.



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